

**NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS**

Applicant : Smith et al.  
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MOLECULAR WEIGHT  
POLYETHYLENE  
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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby notifies the Patent and Trademark Office that it is no longer entitled to status as a small entity and that any previous assertion is hereby withdrawn.

Respectfully submitted,

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